

Table VIII.B.2.a(2008) Percent of private-sector employees eligible for health insurance at establishments that offer health insurance by average wage quartiles and State: United States, 2008

Division and State	Total	Quartile 1 Average Wage	Quartile 2 Average Wage	Quartile 3 Average Wage	Quartile 4 Average Wage
United States	78.1%	56.6%	72.8%	86.2%	91.0%
New England:					
Connecticut	79.6%	66.0%	70.9%	86.3%	92.4%
Maine	80.3%	64.8%	75.8%	87.8%	87.9%
Massachusetts	74.6%	54.2%	65.5%	86.8%	89.0%
New Hampshire	76.0%	49.3%	74.9%	81.3%	92.3%
Rhode Island	74.5%	41.8%	77.1%	83.2%	88.0%
Vermont	79.0%	59.4%	69.4%	86.1%	94.9%
Middle Atlantic:					
New Jersey	76.6%	54.0%	76.1%	84.8%	87.4%
New York	78.5%	57.5%	75.8%	87.8%	88.7%
Pennsylvania	76.5%	46.2%	74.8%	85.7%	91.3%
East North Central:					
Illinois	78.6%	56.9%	75.7%	88.6%	88.9%
Indiana	81.1%	61.9%	75.6%	88.7%	93.2%
Michigan	76.5%	55.4%	66.4%	81.3%	93.8%
Ohio	78.6%	57.1%	72.8%	85.9%	93.2%
Wisconsin	77.2%	48.9%	74.1%	85.4%	90.4%
West North Central:					
Iowa	79.4%	50.6%	75.2%	90.0%	93.8%
Kansas	77.5%	58.2%	69.6%	85.5%	88.1%
Minnesota	77.8%	47.7%	73.8%	87.4%	93.0%
Missouri	77.0%	58.7%	65.7%	85.1%	93.4%
Nebraska	79.6%	51.5%	78.3%	88.5%	92.2%
North Dakota	75.9%	48.4%	69.4%	87.2%	90.5%
South Dakota	73.4%	45.7%	64.4%	82.7%	91.2%
South Atlantic:					
Delaware	79.1%	58.4%	76.7%	85.0%	92.6%
District of Columbia	82.2%	57.6%	80.7%	89.2%	96.2%
Florida	78.6%	65.3%	70.4%	86.6%	89.1%
Georgia	81.4%	57.8%	79.8%	88.9%	91.0%
Maryland	79.7%	64.8%	75.8%	84.3%	89.4%
North Carolina	79.4%	70.8%	66.7%	89.1%	89.1%
South Carolina	78.0%	57.6%	75.6%	83.0%	91.1%
Virginia	78.0%	50.0%	74.8%	87.2%	93.5%
West Virginia	77.2%	52.6%	68.5%	80.2%	94.1%
East South Central:					
Alabama	78.0%	53.9%	72.2%	88.4%	91.7%
Kentucky	80.4%	58.7%	79.4%	89.4%	88.3%
Mississippi	80.4%	61.3%	73.0%	89.5%	91.2%
Tennessee	73.8%	45.1%	64.5%	88.3%	91.4%
West South Central:					
Arkansas	78.6%	61.9%	68.8%	82.1%	95.2%
Louisiana	75.4%	61.3%	62.8%	84.8%	88.1%
Oklahoma	72.6%	58.5%	58.5%	81.2%	86.8%
Texas	77.0%	57.2%	70.7%	82.8%	92.6%
Mountain:					
Arizona	74.5%	54.3%	62.8%	80.5%	93.4%
Colorado	76.5%	57.5%	71.7%	81.8%	90.7%
Idaho	79.1%	80.3%	52.6%	85.0%	91.8%
Montana	75.6%	52.5%	57.7%	83.7%	92.8%
Nevada	80.0%	66.8%	77.3%	86.8%	85.8%
New Mexico	73.0%	56.4%	66.8%	75.2%	89.3%
Utah	74.4%	55.3%	69.9%	78.1%	88.4%
Wyoming	77.8%	56.9%	70.1%	83.4%	89.8%
Pacific:					
Alaska	75.8%	65.7%	64.9%	80.6%	87.7%
California	80.5%	53.6%	78.7%	89.0%	92.4%
Hawaii	77.8%	51.5%	79.5%	88.0%	90.4%
Oregon	81.7%	58.7%	79.1%	89.3%	91.6%
Washington	78.6%	56.4%	71.0%	88.0%	90.3%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2008 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

Note: Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the Technical Appendix.

Table VIII.B.2.a(2008) Standard error for percent of private-sector employees eligible for health insurance at establishments that offer health insurance by average wage quartiles and State: United States, 2008

Division and State	Total	Quartile 1 Average Wage	Quartile 2 Average Wage	Quartile 3 Average Wage	Quartile 4 Average Wage
United States	0.38%	0.90%	0.71%	0.30%	0.56%
New England:					
Connecticut	1.89%	6.57%	4.10%	2.15%	1.49%
Maine	1.19%	5.75%	5.46%	1.95%	2.04%
Massachusetts	0.94%	4.01%	3.63%	1.68%	2.62%
New Hampshire	2.64%	5.49%	2.81%	3.46%	2.43%
Rhode Island	1.09%	3.12%	3.18%	2.46%	1.73%
Vermont	1.97%	6.96%	2.32%	1.51%	1.54%
Middle Atlantic:					
New Jersey	2.38%	5.22%	4.64%	2.33%	4.44%
New York	1.27%	3.79%	3.16%	1.47%	1.76%
Pennsylvania	2.09%	6.26%	2.17%	1.47%	1.81%
East North Central:					
Illinois	1.60%	3.61%	2.86%	2.42%	2.41%
Indiana	2.33%	5.31%	3.14%	2.42%	1.28%
Michigan	2.16%	5.43%	4.42%	3.02%	2.24%
Ohio	1.88%	3.72%	3.80%	2.55%	1.52%
Wisconsin	1.30%	3.47%	3.35%	2.61%	1.90%
West North Central:					
Iowa	0.61%	4.45%	2.49%	2.04%	1.44%
Kansas	2.66%	5.81%	2.29%	3.60%	2.32%
Minnesota	2.04%	4.42%	3.72%	1.70%	1.63%
Missouri	2.03%	5.54%	4.79%	1.88%	1.67%
Nebraska	1.69%	4.12%	3.35%	2.41%	1.35%
North Dakota	1.89%	4.70%	4.53%	2.00%	1.85%
South Dakota	2.90%	6.11%	4.85%	3.32%	1.73%
South Atlantic:					
Delaware	2.07%	5.20%	3.97%	3.34%	2.93%
District of Columbia	2.14%	3.64%	3.10%	2.43%	1.12%
Florida	2.62%	5.95%	4.09%	2.26%	2.48%
Georgia	1.29%	5.44%	3.15%	3.27%	2.44%
Maryland	1.50%	9.33%	3.85%	2.26%	3.65%
North Carolina	1.38%	4.75%	4.20%	1.47%	2.51%
South Carolina	0.99%	4.26%	5.65%	3.49%	2.69%
Virginia	2.07%	3.13%	3.25%	3.38%	1.68%
West Virginia	2.37%	5.59%	5.07%	3.64%	1.41%
East South Central:					
Alabama	2.41%	4.42%	4.13%	1.63%	4.38%
Kentucky	2.24%	6.03%	4.78%	1.62%	1.87%
Mississippi	3.08%	6.27%	5.89%	2.25%	3.28%
Tennessee	3.04%	6.77%	5.38%	3.36%	3.18%
West South Central:					
Arkansas	2.17%	5.88%	3.91%	4.59%	1.19%
Louisiana	2.34%	4.62%	5.21%	3.54%	2.78%
Oklahoma	2.05%	4.96%	7.00%	4.92%	2.86%
Texas	1.51%	5.52%	2.47%	2.03%	0.86%
Mountain:					
Arizona	2.63%	4.20%	4.88%	3.70%	1.62%
Colorado	1.18%	3.75%	3.86%	1.36%	1.67%
Idaho	2.44%	12.26%	4.94%	2.55%	1.71%
Montana	2.24%	6.67%	5.08%	1.60%	2.05%
Nevada	1.91%	5.29%	3.86%	2.49%	2.50%
New Mexico	2.64%	5.96%	5.71%	4.72%	2.20%
Utah	1.78%	4.30%	4.62%	3.30%	1.81%
Wyoming	1.95%	4.50%	4.50%	2.69%	2.10%
Pacific:					
Alaska	1.73%	5.29%	5.24%	4.68%	2.18%
California	1.59%	3.28%	2.41%	1.27%	1.52%
Hawaii	2.78%	7.54%	2.62%	2.60%	2.17%
Oregon	1.16%	4.61%	2.62%	1.49%	2.42%
Washington	2.23%	3.43%	5.62%	1.97%	1.38%

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